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ABSTRACT

10 A process for preparing a dibenzothiazepine derivative such as dibenzo[b,f] [1,4]thiazepin-11-one employable as a starting material for the preparation of 11-[4-(2-(2-hydroxyethoxy) ethyl)]-1-piperadinyldibenzothiazepine derivative which is known to be effective as an antipsychotic pharmaceutical, has the steps of reacting a nitrobenzene derivative with a thiosalicylic acid derivative,  
15 reducing the obtained 2-nitro-2'-carboxy-diphenylsulfide derivative, and subjecting the obtained 2-amino-2'-carboxy-diphenylsulfide derivative to dehydration-condensation reaction.

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